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The above reward will be paid for the return,
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white stripes in face and left hind hoof with in
front, the other a bay, stripe in face with one
white hind foot, shod on front feet. These an-
imals strayed from 18-17-26, W. 2nd M., about
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Public from a well selected stock of
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The undersigned begs to inform the public
that they intend to run a

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A Good Bull will be kept in
the herd for the season.

By promising careful attention to the
business, we hope parties contemplating
passing animals out to herd will give us
their patronage.

Arrangements, as to terms, etc., can be
made at our shop in town.
We wish to announce that we commence
herding on Tuesday next, April 19th, 1892.

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from Mr. P. Rousseau, of Willow Ranch, we
are now prepared to supply the citizens of
Moose Jaw with any quantity of first-class
beef.

WRIGHT BROS.

HERDING.

I wish to inform the people that I will take
charge of a herd during the coming summer.
Cows only.

JAS. OSTRANDER.

The undersigned will take charge of a horse
and cattle herd during the summer of 1892. A
thoroughbred pedigreed shorthorn bull will be
kept. Terms on application.

WM. DOWNS,
Elm Lodge Farm.

The undersigned begs to announce that dur-
ing the summer of 1892 they will keep a horse
and cattle herd, south of town. Two thorough-
bred pedigreed bulls will be kept in herd. No
collaring. Terms on application. Herd
closed November 1st.

LYON & BRAZEL

The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1892.

A TERRITORIAL VICTORY.

Responsible Government.

A great victory on behalf of the
principle of responsible government has
just been obtained by the Northwest
Territorial Assembly. No further
deadlocks or misapprehensions as to
the manner in which the federal grants
shall be expended can occur, as the
supplementary estimates will contain
a bulk sum to be expended at the
Territorial Assembly shall see fit.
This arrangement has been recommend-
ed to council by a sub-committee com-
posed of Messrs. Foster and Dewdney,
with the support of the Northwest
members, and is sure to be adopted.
No further conflict or misunderstanding
between the Assembly and the
Lieut. Governor can possibly arise.

Premier Abbott states that the new
Lieutenant-Governor for British Col-
umbia will not be appointed until after
the session. Governor Nelson's term
expired Feb. 1st.

Petitions have been sent to Mr.
Abbott in favor of appointing Senator
Macdonald, of British Columbia. Mr.
Dewdney is spoken of as a prospective
appointee. It is also reported that the
governorship will be awarded to Hon.
John Robson.

HAIL INSURANCE.

Mr. Davin has given notice of an
amendment to the Northwest Territo-
rial Act to empower the assembly to
incorporate mutual insurance com-
panies against damages from hail, frost
or drought.

THE ANNEXATION PARTY.

In a recent issue of *La Patrie*, the
chief organ of Hon. Wilfred Laurier,
considerable space is devoted to a very
long article endeavoring to show the
benefits the Dominion would derive
from a union with the neighboring re-
public. Political union it says, must
be the watchword from this out.

It declares that, if a vote were taken
tomorrow, a majority in the Dominion
would be polled for political union, and
that Ontario would also give a favor-
able vote to the movement. One of
Mr. Solomon Leblanc's disciples in
Essex has written this Liberal organ a
letter, somewhat as follows :—

Sir,—Allow me to compliment you
on your attitude regarding the politi-
cal union of Canada to the United
States. The influence of such a paper
as yours will be felt far beyond the
province of Quebec, and I will not fail
to lead the Liberal leaders into pro-
nouncing themselves squarely upon a
question which at a stroke of the pen
will resolve all other political problems
and assure to us the greatest of tri-
umphs. We have agitated the ques-
tion a great deal in the county of Es-
sex, and were only awaiting the as-
sistance of some of our compatriots in
the province of Quebec in order to
force our leaders into a frank accept-
ance of the only means by which Can-
ada can be brought into the commer-
cial and industrial system of the con-
tinent.

I remain, sir, your obedient servant,
F. P. BOUTELLIER.

La Patrie concludes by promising
to give, in a future issue, a great many
more arguments in favor of the politi-
cal union of the two countries. It is
generally felt in connection with the
present attitude of *La Patrie* that Mr.
Beaugrand, the proprietor of the news-
paper in question, would have never
started out as an advocate of annexa-
tion without first consulting his
leader at Ottawa.

Mr. J. X. Perrault, another bright,
shining light of the Laurier party, is
so taken with the annexation plank
of his leader's platform that he wrote
to the *Globe* advocating the election of
an American citizen to succeed Leo
XIII, as Pope.

REGINA RACES.

The annual Regina race meeting
will be held August 3rd, 4th and 5th.
Three thousand dollars will be given
in prizes. It is expected to be the
greatest race meeting ever held in the
Territories. There are already seven-
teen nominations for the colt race, for
which a big pot of money will be put
up. The great match between Wanda
and Sister Molly for \$1,000 will be
run during the meeting.

THE SUPREME COURT.

Sitting of April 12th and 13th.

HARRIS vs. DUSTIN
and
CAMPBELL vs. ANNABLE.

Judgment Reserved in Both Cases.

The Supreme Court of the Judicial
District of Western Assiniboia sat in
Moose Jaw on Tuesday and Wednes-
day April 12th and 13th.

A. HARRISON & CO. vs. DUSTIN.

The question in the first case, as it
appears, is a dispute between the
parties relating to a binder and sealer.
The defendant purchased these imple-
ments from A. Harris, Son & Co., the
plaintiffs, in 1885. After Dustin had
paid a portion of the contract price,
and after one of the lien notes, given
to secure the balance of the purchase
money, had fallen due and was not
paid, the plaintiffs, under the provisions
of the lien notes, re-took possession of
the implements in question. In the
interim, the evidence goes to show,
the machines were used by the agent of
the plaintiffs on his farm north of
Moose Jaw, and was subsequently used
by two or three of his neighbors.

In 1892 the agent of the Company
tendered the defendant the machines
and demanded payment of the bal-
ance of the contract price. This the de-
fendant refused to pay.

The tenor of the defense was that
the re-taking of possession by the
plaintiffs, and the subsequent using
of the implements, rescinded the con-
tracts.

It was contended that plaintiffs had
no right of action for any part of the
purchase money. This seemed to be
the chief question argued by the coun-
sel in the case.

D. L. Scott, Q. C., of Regina, and
Wm. Grayson, of Moose Jaw, appeared
for the plaintiff. Mr. W. J. Nelson of
the Toronto Bar, appeared for the de-
fence.

The case occupied the attention of
the court during the whole of the first
day.

At the conclusion of the plaintiffs
case, the counsel for the defence moved
for a dismissal of the plaintiffs' action.

The learned judge reserved his de-
cision. The defence was then called. Five
witnesses were examined. After the
arguments of counsel the learned judge
reserved his decision, which he will
probably give during the present month.

This action is of particular interest
to the farming community. The law
relative to lien or sales notes, has been
discussed. The effect of a lien note, or
the ordinary agreement to sell agricul-
tural implements will be determined in
the action.

CAMPBELL vs. ANNABLE.

The second case was relative to
the alleged sale of a horse by Mr. W. R.
Campbell, tinmith to Mr. G. M. Ann-
able.

The plaintiff claimed to be the owner
of a horse now in the possession of
the defendant. The defendant claim-
ed to have purchased the horse from
the plaintiff, the whole question
hinging upon this alleged purchase.

Mr. Austin McDonald, who, as we
have said in our local columns, had
been brought from St. Boniface, and
Mr. Thos. Battell, of Moose Jaw,
were the chief witnesses for the de-
fence.

Several witnesses were examined
and after lengthy arguments of counsel,
the learned judge reserved his de-
cision.

We are informed by Judge Rich-
ardson that he will probably hold a spe-
cial sitting of Court in May next, when
the case now in controversy relative
to the Presbyterian Manse will be
heard.

The judgment of the learned judge
in the cases cited above will be an-
nounced as soon as word is received
from Regina.

JUDGES' SALARIES INCREASED.

Sir John Thompson gave notice on
Tuesday of a resolution providing an
increase of an average of \$1,000 of
judges' salaries in the various courts
of the different provinces. The resolu-
tion affecting judges in the court of
Queen's Bench in the province of Man-
itoba gives the chief justice \$5,000. For
the three puisne judges \$5,000. For
the supreme court of British Columbia,
the chief justice is given \$6,000, and
the four puisne judges \$5,000. For
the supreme court of the Territories,
the five judges are given \$5,000 each.

Resolution ten provides that there shall
hereafter be paid to each trial judge
an election petition, under the Con-
troversial Election Act, for
each day he is absent from his place of
residence, together with actual dis-
bursements for conveyance, and so
more.

ELECTION BETS.

We have just learned that His Hon.
Judge Elliot has given judgment in
the election bet of Cowan v. McMartin.
Cowan and Douglas had a bet of \$50
on the result of the recent election for
London as follows :

"Feb. 19.—J. Cowan bets M. Doug-
las \$50 that Hyman will be elected
member for the city. Money in my
hands."

(Signed) John McMartin.

McMartin thus became the stake-
holder, and was forbidden by Cowan to
pay the money to Douglas, and so was
sued by Cowan.

The judge said that several cases
had been cited furnishing instances in
which bets on subjects of a harmful
nature had been recovered. He had
indeed, at one time, given judgment
in favor of the rights of plaintiff to re-
cover back his deposit from the stake-
holder, under the same circumstances
as represented in the present instance,
and he now failed to see any sufficient
reason for departing from the conclusion
at which he then arrived.

He gave it as his opinion that bets
upon the result of a political election
were contrary to sound public policy,
and stated that as the election of mem-
bers of Parliament should be free, and
every voter should be free from pecu-
niary influences in giving his vote.

The learned judge found that the
plaintiff Cowan, was entitled to recover
from McMartin, the stakeholder, the
sum of \$50 which he now holds. The
parties being very much paraded,
must pay their own costs.

CHICAGO AND ASSINIBOIA.

The latest in railway circles in the
Chicago and Assiniboia railroad. Ac-
cording to the report, the line is to
run from Chicago to the Mississippi,
thence via the Fort Madison line and
Des Moines to Big Stone lake, and dis-
tantly across Minnesota and the
Dakotas to Assiniboia. This may
mean that the Canadian Pacific has in
view a line from Chicago, through Il-
linois and Iowa, and connecting with
the Soo in Minnesota, whereby, as the
Roo runs to Valley City and is to cross
the border in time and connect with
Canadian Pacific, giving the latter a
through line of its own through the
states. The capital stock is \$30,000,
000 and the principal office Clinton,
Iowa. E. William of Chicago is Presi-
dent. The line of the road, it is said,
is definitely surveyed from Chicago to
the Mississippi river, a distance of 130
miles, and from there to Big Stone
Lake, on the dividing line between
Minnesota and Dakota, a further dis-
tance of 420 miles. From the latter
point the road when completed would
stretch through Dakota to the Pro-
vince of Assiniboia, but where the ter-
minal point will be has not as yet been
disclosed.

A SENSELESS CANARD.

In the *Le Canadien* issue of
April 12th a rumour to the effect that
forty members of the Government, dis-
approving of Sir John Thompson's re-
fusal to investigate the charges against
Sir Adolphe Caron, have signed a round
robin asking Hon. Edward Blake to
assume the leadership of a coalition of
which they would form part, with the
present members of the Opposition, is
published.

This senseless and childish canard is,
of course, meat and drink to the Opposi-
tion press. There is no foundation
whatever for the rumor.

PARLIAMENT FOR IRELAND.

In the British House of Commons
recently Alexander Blane (Parnellite),
member for South Armagh, gave notice
that in about a month's time he will
move that the time has come to es-
tablish an Irish Parliament in Dublin,
to manage and control affairs in Ire-
land, including land legislation, judi-
cial appointments, and the Irish consti-
tutionary.

Write for Wetland.

The writ for the election in Wainland
has been issued. Nomination will be
held on April 22, and polling on the
29th.

"Flippantly? How do you
could possibly be your wife
should want at least two weeks
in."

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The Moose Jaw Times.

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Not mastered by some modern term,
Not swift nor slow to change; but firm."

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1892.

THE EDGAR CHARGES.

The charges preferred against Sir Adolph Caron by James David Edgar, M. P., have occasioned considerable amusement at Ottawa. The indictment has been drawn with a vagueness and uncertainty that renders the whole controversy highly ridiculous.

The fullest inquiry was courted by the Government. It was even decided to waive Parliamentary usage and every assistance was given to expedite matters by holding over business of importance. Sir Adolph characterized the charges as a tissue of malicious falsehoods. Sir John Thompson discussed the charges carefully. He referred to their vagueness and stated that in his opinion the motive of the Opposition was not so much to enquire into the conduct of a Minister as to try the proceedings of the general elections of '82, '87 and '91.

The law provides that where political methods are questioned the case shall be tried in the law-courts.

The Globe of April 7th has a leading article headed "An Inquiry Refused." There has been no attempt to shirk the fullest possible inquiry and when the Edgar charges have been specified and the allegations made in proper form, the right of investigation will be exercised by Parliament.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

The feeling is gaining ground that the name of our town should be changed. The name Moose Jaw should never have been given to this place near to the river upon whose banks the town is built. One Indian name for this locality is Wachisto meaning "The Great Bend River," and arose from the fact that, at a point some ten or twelve miles south, the river takes a north-westerly course until it reaches this point, when it suddenly turns eastward, continuing in that direction quite a distance, and so forming a great elbow, or bend. This or some other equally appropriate name could be obtained for our town.

The name Moose Jaw-bone was given to a configuration of land near the confluence of the Great Bend with the Qu'Appelle.

VICE AND IMMORALITY.

The time has arrived when the youth of Moose Jaw should be restrained in some way, from acts of rowdiness that characterize the rising generation in too many of our western towns.

The time of arrival of the western express is unfortunate in this regard. The platform is crowded with boys of all ages from five to fifteen. They roam the streets at their own sweet will until midnight. No sitting of the court, no trial of an offender before a magistrate, no election or other public meeting can be held in the town, unless under the personal supervision of the small boy. No wedding can take place without a charivari.

If, as we fear is the case, home in-

fluence in Moose Jaw is too weak to cope with this serious question, the municipality should move in the matter.

The power is delegated to municipalities to regulate public morality. The Town Council of Regina moved in this matter last year as witnessed in their by-law No. 94, sections 4, 8, and 9 which read respectively.

"No person shall engage in charivaries or aid or assist others so engaged or blow horns, ring bells, or make any other disturbance in the streets, or use loud, blasphemous, abusive, or grossly insulting language, or sing or shout in a boisterous manner, or commit any public nuisance by collecting, loitering or standing as idlers in any public sidewalk of the said municipality."

"Every person * * found using obscene, blasphemous, or grossly insulting language, or profane swearing in any street * * shall be liable to the penalties, etc."

"Any person or persons found guilty of an infraction or breach of any of the provisions, or enactments of this By-Law shall * * pay a fine of \$50 or in case of non payment * * be imprisoned for a period not exceeding 30 days."

THE OLD STORY.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr. Frederick Dale explaining the circumstances connected with the arrest of his wife for bigamy. This letter was not intended for publication but was written merely to show that the parties violated the law through ignorance.

It appears that Mrs. Dale, before her first marriage was working in London, and saw an advertisement in a newspaper where a man named Burk, living in Manitoba, "wanted a wife." The girl answered the advertisement and after corresponding with Burk for nearly a year came to this country in July and married him. Dale at this time was partner with Burk. The match like many another, did not prove happy. An affection sprang up between Dale and Mrs. Burk and by mutual consent of both Mr. and Mrs. Burk all letters that had passed between them were burnt and they agreed to separate so that Dale and she could marry. As half the farm belonged to Dale, he stayed on the farm during the fall. Dale and Burk parted amicably the latter knowing all the time that the two would marry as soon as they left the farm.

They were married in Winnipeg, thinking that all was right. The subsequent events have appeared in the papers. Burk had no hand in causing the arrest.

We think it strange that a man who writes such an intelligent letter as Mr. Dale, would be so ignorant of the consequences attendant upon so grave an offence. It is to be hoped that the case will be allowed to drop, that a divorce will be secured and a legal marriage obtained.

THE FALL SHOW.

It is to be regretted that so little interest is manifested on the part of the farmers in the annual fall show. A notice has been running in the Times for some nine weeks, calling attention to this important matter, but, as yet, comparatively few have responded. It is the intention of the directors of the Agricultural Society to prepare an extensive exhibit for the World's Fair. The success of this depends upon the spirit with which the farmers respond to the wishes of the Society.

The work of preparing a suitable prize list is by no means of a light nature. It generally devolves upon one or two persons. The society, this year, are sparing no pains to make the annual fall show an era in the history of our town, and we sincerely hope that their efforts will meet with the hearty co-operation of those to whose interest it is that the show should be successful.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Virden Advance came out in its last issue as an eight page paper.

The Medicine Hat Times in an editorial complain of the lack of interest her business men evince in acquiring a share of the immense immigration that is pouring into the Territories.

The initial number of the Souris

Plunderer a Conservative weekly, published in Souris (Plum Creek) by Mr. G. S. B. Perry, an old Brandonite, is to hand. The paper editorially, is above the ordinary run of country weeklies, and the mechanical work is excellent.

Attention is called to the fact that as the streams adjacent to the Town are flowing, it would be well to exercise a strict supervision over the depositing of garbage and foul matter where the water may become polluted. A walk along the banks of the river will be sufficient to convince the people of Moose Jaw of the importance of such a step.

The activity displayed by the newly organized fire brigade is pleasing. On Friday the first practice was held under the guidance of Deputy Chief Melhuish. The run was highly successful and proves that a good selection of men was made at the time of organization. After a few such drills it would be well to set fire to some worth less building and give the brigade practice of a still more practical nature. The Queen's Birthday would be a good time for such a trial.

We have received from the publishers, a copy of *The Canadian Methodist and Holiness Era*, an eight page religious publication, issued every fortnight at Brockville, Ont. The paper is neatly gotten up and reflects great credit upon the printers and publishers. It contains no advertisements and is full of the best of religious reading. The editors seem to aim at crowding every line of the paper with wholesome and thoughtful matter so that the reader will not have to traverse columns and even pages to obtain a few thoughts. The paper is cheap, 50 cts a year. The publishers desire all who wish to see a sample copy to send them a postal to that effect.

The business men of this town are somewhat of a disadvantage in regard to receiving and sending express parcels. Mr. J. K. Stevenson, the agent, is as accommodating and obliging as a man could possibly be, but on account of the position of the freight shed it is annoying for him to have to leave his work at a moment's notice and travel the distance between the freight shed and the station. This he has to do many times a day.

If proper representation were made to the C. P. R. Authorities, the matter might be more conveniently arranged.

A pamphlet issued by the Calgary Board of Trade, setting forth the advantages of the Calgary District, has been handed us by a gentleman recently returned from Ontario. He says that after leaving Port Arthur similar pamphlets from nearly every district in Manitoba and the Territories were circulated throughout the train. The name of one district, however, was not brought before the passengers in this prominent and effective manner, and that was the district of Moose Jaw. A pamphlet giving information such as the following would do inestimable good:—

Moose Jaw, its situation and boundaries; climate; railway rates; price of land; condition of stock; supply of hay; poultry; price of agricultural machinery; average crop acreage; duration of seasons; freedom from summer frosts; the best time to emigrate; institutions, schools and churches; taxation; cost of building material; price of fuel; price of staple articles of domestic use; wages hired labor may command.

Call on the Moose Jaw Times for fancy job work.



TENDERS.

INDIAN SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Indian Supplies," will be received at this office up to noon of SATURDAY, 16th May, 1892, for the delivery of Indian Supplies, during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1893, duty paid, at various points in Manitoba and the North West Territories. Forms of tender, containing full particulars relative to the supplies required, rates of delivery, &c., may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Indian Commissioner at Regina, or to the Indian Office, Winnipeg. This advertisement is not to be inserted by any newspaper without the authority of the Queen's Printer, and no claim for payment by any newspaper not having had such authority will be admitted. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

L. VANKOUGHNET,
Deputy of the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs,
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Ottawa, March, 1892.

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FROM	FROM	FROM
LIVERPOOL	MONTREAL	QUEBEC
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Agent, Moose Jaw.

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The undersigned desires gratefully to thank the public for their confidence and support in the past, and also to acquaint them that, from and after this date, the Credit System of the past is discontinued. All accounts are now closed, and a settlement during the month of March must be had with all the past customers whose accounts are still unpaid. All existing engagements on my part for the supply of Lumber will be carried out as agreed upon.

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H. MCDOUGALL

Moose Jaw, March 1st, 1892.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1892.

1880-1892.

"Old Times are Changed."
"Old Manners Gone"

I am something of a vet'ran, just a turn of eighty years—
A man that's hale an hearty an stranger tew all fear;
But I've heard some news this morning that has made my old head spin,
An I'm givin tew some my consuns if I never speak ag'in.
I've lived my fourscore years of life, and never till tow day
Was I taken for a jacksaw an ign'rant kind o' jay.
Tew be stuffed with such durned nonsense but them crawlin bugs an worms
That's a killin human bel'n with their "mik-roscopic germs"
Tey say there's "mik-robes" all about a look in fer their prey;
There's nothin pure tew eat nor drink, an no safe place tew stay;
There's "malaria" in the drowl an malar'y in the sun;
Tain't safe to be outdoors at noon or when the day is done.
There's "bac'tery" in the water an "queer smudge" in the wheat,
"Amoeb'y" in the atmosphere, "colony" in the heat;
There's "corpuscles" an "pigments" in a human bel'n's blood,
An every other kind o' thing axien sence the food.
Tew backer's fall o' "alkalies," whatever that may be,
An your mouth'll all get puckered with the "tannin" in the tea.
The butter's "olymargarin"—it never saw a cow,
An things is gittin wus an wus from what they be jist now.
Them bugs is all about us, jist a waitin for a chance
Tew navigate our vitals an 'maw us off like plants.
There's men that spend a lifetime huntin worms, jist like a goose.
An lookin Latin names to'em an little an' on loose.
Now I don't believe such nonsense an I'm not a gals tew try;
If things has come tew such a pass I'm satisfied tew die.
I'll go hang me in the solar, for I won't be such a fool
As to wait until I'm pleased by a "sunnily cool"

GENERAL NOTES.

A large deputation from Edmonton has waited on Hon. Mr. Oulmont, asking for new public buildings and a bridge over the Saskatchewan.

Several hundred French Canadian families left Montreal on April 5th, to take up homes in the Northwest. Hundreds of French Canadians are leaving the province every day.

The sailing instructions to the United States vessels that will cruise in Behring sea this year have been practically completed at the state department, and have been submitted to a conference of United States officials at the navy department.

The following Northwest appointments are gazetted: To be justices of peace—Inspector William G. Matthews, of the Mounted police, and Alexander Sutherland, of Winnipeg. To be notary public—George W. Greene, Assiniboia. To be district vet. Surgeon—Benjamin Fletcher of Moose Jaw.

While boring at Lethbridge for an artesian well, natural gas was struck at five hundred and seventy-five feet, and work was immediately suspended. One of the workmen was severely burned. He was using a piece of red hot iron, which caused the gas to ignite, sending up a ten or twelve foot flame. It is likely that as yet the outer portion of the vein only has been touched. The contractor Mr. Grant, has succeeded in extinguishing the flame and confining the gas. He will consult with the boring company before proceeding farther.

The differences between the United States and Great Britain, growing out of the Behring Sea matter, have, with the single exception of the question of damages for the seal catch of this year, it is understood, been formally adjusted. The British minister had an audience with Secretary Blaine and General Foster has conferred with the President on the same subject. Details are being rapidly arranged for an official announcement, which is expected to be soon forthcoming.

An interesting letter from Mr. A. J. McMillan, Immigration Agent in England, states that there is no falling off in the immigration apparatus, but that the Northwest fever appears to spread with even greater rapidity than in the past. The day on which the letter was mailed, Mr. McMillan states there were to have left over one thousand English immigrants, all of them of the most desirable class and not a few with very considerable capital. They crossed on the s.s.

Parisian which arrived at New York last week. Quite a large number will settle in the district of Lake Dauphin which has been extensively advertised by the government, but the great bulk go to the Territories. Quite a large number of farm laborers have been obtained in the Derbyshire district and will be with this party.

James Russell Lowell will not have a monument in Westminster Abbey. The Athenaeum says, that owing to the scantiness of unoccupied space in the abbey, Very Rev. Geo. Granville Bradley, D. D., Dean of Westminster, has reluctantly declined to find room in the abbey for the proposed monument, and has suggested that instead of a monument, a window in the chapter house, the scene of the delivery of some of Lowell's addresses, might be filled with a stained glass memorial.

A dispatch from Dillon, in the southern part of Montana, on the road to Jackson's Hole in Wyoming, announces that a battle has occurred, between a band of cattle thieves and cattle men on the Montana side of the Wind River country. The news was brought in by a ranchman. The ranchmen, exasperated by the depredations of a gang of thieves of the Teton section, assembled by agreement at a point somewhere west of Blackfoot and began searching for the robbers and found a large body entrenched in winter quarters. They attacked them and were repulsed, losing eight killed and a number wounded. The robbers also lost heavily.

Edmund Huertel, representing Vicomte Paul Dubejac, consul general of France, has begun the examination under oath of prominent New York capitalists connected with the sale in 1881 of 63,534 shares of Panama railroad stock to the Universal Inter-oceanic Panama Canal Co. at \$268.25 a share. The Canal company was forced to obtain a controlling interest in the railroad company, as the latter had the exclusive right of transit across the Isthmus of Panama. The French courts charge that the deal was effected between De Lesseps and certain stockholders of the railroad company by which a very excessive price was paid for the railroad stock. Fraud and breach of trust are charged.

The Northwest members waited on Premier Abbott, on April 9th and asked that a new constituency be made out of Alberta, Northwest Assiniboia and West Saskatchewan. They admitted that the results of the census did not justify the demand, but said the prospects of a tremendous influx of immigration the next few years would warrant such a step. Unless a member were appointed under the redistribution bill they would have to wait ten years, which would be an injustice to those without representation. In reply, Mr. Abbott pointed out that the Northwest was not under the provisions of the North America Act, but under the Northwest Representation Act. In case the population rendered necessary an additional member, it could be given any time instead of waiting ten years.

On Saturday, April 9th, about 11 at night a fire broke out in the second flat of McKelvie & Dunwoody's dry goods establishment in Brandon, burning and damaging goods to the amount of about \$4,000 dollars. Were it not for the very timely arrival of the chemical engine, and its skillful handling by the firemen, the fire would have gained further headway, when the whole of McKelvie block would have certainly been in ruins. The flames being closely confined by the firemen to the upper flat and fought by the chemical only, the big stock of goods on the first flat is little damaged which would not have been the case had the steam engine, which was on the spot, poured its streams into the building. The fire is generally supposed to have originated from the stove in the milliners' workroom. The stock is insured for \$20,000 in the following companies: Northern, Lancashire, Phoenix, Alliance, Imperial Guardian, Commercial, Union, Calcedonia, Manchester, Citizen and Imperial.

The Toronto Empire says editorially: Canadians are not sufficiently alert to the "booming" of their great country and its trade centres, with the whole vast and fertile territory of Manitoba and the Northwest around and back of it; with an ever increasing population and surrounding production; with the great railway of the continent passing through it, and the minor lines of the northern part of Canada centering in it; with growing manufacturers as a result of careful and moderate protection; with a tributary territory fertile beyond comparison, almost limitless in extent, and containing an exhaustless supply of coal, as well as vast petroleum and iron beds.

"The lands now available for settlement in that part of Canada, if settled with the density of Iowa, would give a population of 15,000,000, whose consuming power would be immense. Mr. W. C. Van Horne recently observed that:—

"We are on the eve of a great change in the Northwest; the time we have been looking for so anxiously is now close at hand, when the wild lands west of us will be settled up and Winnipeg will become what I always said it to be, the position it does command the trade and market of the Northwest, it will become the Chicago of Canada, just as Chicago will become, from its position, and very soon too, the greatest city in the United States, for the same reason that Winnipeg will become the centre of Canada."

"Let our people reflect upon the situation, and bear in mind that we have everything within our borders capable of making a greater power than even the United States with all its seventy-five years' start of us.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a Writ of Execution, issued out of the Supreme Court Judicial District of Western Assiniboia at the suit of Herbert W. Russell and to me directed against the lands of Arthur Jeffard, I have seized and taken into Execution all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the defendant in and to the following lands namely:—

The east half of section number thirty (30) in township eighteen (18) in range twenty-four (24) West of the second principal Meridian in the North West Territories, which I shall offer for sale on Saturday the eighteenth day of June A. D. 1892, at my office in the Court House, Regina, at the hour of eleven o'clock forenoon.

JAMES H. BENSON, Sheriff.

Regina, March 16th 1892. 67a

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This paper is pushing rapidly into the front rank of Canadian Journalism. By dint of energy and enterprise it has succeeded in a few months in acquiring an excellent circulation, and becoming one of the permanent institutions of the country. It makes a specialty of Territorial affairs, no important Canadian news is overlooked, and considerable attention is given to its columns to British and Foreign events. Subscription price, Daily \$2.50; Weekly \$2.50 per annum in advance. J. E. McFARLANE, Manager.

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American Steel Binder,

MOWER AND RAKE,

BAIN WAGON,

LIGHT WHEELED RIGS
OF ALL KINDS

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CUTAWAY AND SOLID
DISC HARROWS,

IRON HARROWS

AND THE CELEBRATED

COCKSHUTT PLOWS, ETC., ETC.

Hold your orders for Twine and all Implements until you see our Samples which will arrive about the end of this month.

Thanking you for past favors and hoping that the same fair dealings may continue between us as in the past, I remain.

YOURS TRULY,

C. A. GASS.

A Man's Reply.
I stand at the bar of your pure woman's soul,
Condemned in the cause that you plead;
My only defence the simple request
That you'll judge me by motives, not deed.
For remember that man's but a child in the
earth,
Though formed by the hand from above;
He will fall many times, but shall walk forth at
last
In the sunshine of infinite love.
So I'm boldened to answer your question so
fair,
And give you "A Man's Reply":
That for the prize of a true woman's love
I am ready to live or die.
You say that the man who gains your love,
Must be brave and true and good;
Must be a kind and generous heart,
And not for a queenly favor.
You say that you look for "a man and a king";
A very prince of the race;
And for a kind and generous heart,
And not for a queenly favor.
You require "all things that are good and true";
All things that a man should be;
I ask for a woman, with all that implies,
And that is sufficient for me.
You ask for a man without a fault,
To live with her on earth;
I ask for a woman, faults and all,
For by faults I may judge of worth.
I ask for a woman modest of old,
To comfort, help, adviser and friend,
As in the original plan,
As in the original plan.
A woman who has an aim in life,
Who finds life worth the living;
Who makes the world her home, for being here,
And for others life is giving.
I will not require all that I have asked;
In these lines so poor and few;
I only say that I am ready to give,
That God can make of you.
For your heart, and life, and love,
Are all things to me;
And I'll stake my life "that I'll be to you
Whatever I ought to be."

BRAINED THE TURKEY.
One Prisoner Escapes from Brockville Jail and Another Man Attacks the Turkey With an Iron Bar.
BROCKVILLE, March 10.—More the tramp stranger, recently committed on a charge against a young girl named Shaver, has escaped from jail.
Before leaving his cell Moore took up the blankets of his bed, covered it into a rope and fastened it to the jail wall which he crawled from his window.
When taken into the yard, he caught hold of this rope, climbed rapidly hand over hand to the top of the wall and jumped over. He is still at large.
Saturday morning a young man named Eaton, under sentence of six months for burglary, attacked Turkey Downey with a piece of the leg of his iron bedstead when the turkey opened his cell door.
Eaton struck Downey a terrific blow on the head, inflicting a dangerous wound. Downey closed his eyes and lay motionless on a rickety iron bedstead with the piece of iron, inflicting eight wounds.
A prisoner named Blair hearing Downey's cries came to his rescue and secured the prisoner.
Downey's wounds were stitched up by Dr. Moore. He is suffering great pain and his condition is considered critical.
After Eaton had been put in a dark cell and handcuffed a search resulted in finding a razor made of his bedstead around his body. A razor was found under his pillow in his cell made of bedstead.

The Story of the Obelisk.
At Heliopolis was the temple of the sun, and the schools which Herodotus visited "because the teachers are considered the most accomplished men in Egypt." When Strabo came later, 400 years later, he saw the house which Plato had occupied; Moses here learned "the religion of the Egyptians." Papyri describe Heliopolis as "full of obelisks." Two of these columns were carried to Alexandria 1,937 years ago, and set up before the temple of Canopus. According to ancient authority this temple was built by the pharaohs; in any case, the two obelisks acquired the name of Cleopatra's needles, and though the temple itself in time disappeared; they remained where they had been placed—one erect, one prostrate—until, in recent years, the obelisk given to London and the other to New York. One recites all this in a breath in order to bring up if possible, the associations which rush confused through the mind as one stands before this great granite column rising alone in the green fields at Heliopolis. No myth itself, it is erected in days which are in its mythical days, which are the jumping-off place of our human history; yet they were not savage who polished this granite, and who adapted the inscription; ages of civilization of a certain sort must have preceded them. Beginning with the Central park, we force our minds backward in an endeavor to make these colossal monuments of the past, we say to ourselves, "The Mycenae relics were articles de Paris of centuries and centuries later." But repeating the words and even rolling the first are useless efforts; the imagination will not take it, crushed into stupidity by such a vista of years. At Heliopolis, perhaps as revenge, we flee to geology and Darwin; here, at least, one can take breath.

The Very Latest Invention.
An ingenious man recently constructed a safe, which he declares to be absolutely burglar proof. To convince the incredulous of the fact, he placed a \$500 note in his pocket, but had his pockets searched by a man with a liberal supply of provisions, and the key cast into the river, declaring that he would give the money to the man who would find the door.
All the backsmen, and carpenters, and burglars in town have been working, and blasting, and beating at that safe for a week, with every kind of tool and explosive mixture known to science and the man is in there yet.
He has whispered through the keyhole that he will make the reward \$100 if some body will only let him out. He has convinced everybody that it is the safest safe ever invented. Fears are entertained that the safe in the furnace will be melted down and the contents be made to pass in through the keyhole a fireproof jacket, to protect the inventor while the iron is melting.

We have Found.
That no remedy in the market affords such prompt relief in toothache, neuralgia, and rheumatism as Nerveine, and its action in cases of cramps, colic, etc., is simply marvelous. Remarking this to a physician of experience, he stated that from his knowledge of the composition of Nerveine he readily could surpass it as a family remedy and that in every household a bottle of Nerveine should be available for emergent demands. Readers of this paper should try Nerveine.

The Heroine of the Crime.
BY A GENERAL'S WIFE.
Soon after the close of the Crimean War there was a memorable dinner in London, given by Lord Stratford to the ranking officers of the British army and navy. Naturally, conversation turned on the recent conflict, and toward the conclusion of the entertainment the host suggested that each guest should write on a slip of paper the name connected with the war which he believed would be most illustrious through future ages. All wrote as requested, the ballots were collected by the proposer of the movement, were opened and read amid enthusiastic cheers, for every one of them contained the name of Florence Nightingale.
The result has proved the truth of that evening's prophecy: a whole generation has passed since then, and who thinks of the dead and gone generals who fell at the storming of the Malakoff? The election gives the "Charge of the Light Brigade" without knowing who obeyed the blundering military commander; but recall the hero of Kinglake's history—the beloved Raglan—and possibly some veteran dimly remembers the great commander of the gray hosts of the Vladimir, but the sweet name of Florence Nightingale, and the language of every home where the English language is spoken.
In Constantinople it was my good fortune to know an English woman well acquainted with the subject of my sketch, who left England when she was about 20, and married a man of fortune. I have often seen her in the midst of suffering, and there misery and despair were deepest as she was sure to be found. Her figure was slight and graceful, her manner dignified, her face beaming with tenderness, and she was as kind as she was brave. Her fortitude at surgical operations passed belief. Once when the agonies of a patient in the hands of surgeons put to flight his attendants, Miss Nightingale called to the trembling fugitives: "Come back! Shame on you as Christians; shame on you as women!" And her courage, joined with what the French call the gift of command, brought the timid nurses again to their duty. She was always on her feet. I never saw her sit down, and once in an almost of surgeons, who hated her because she broke through their routine and refused submission to regulations.
From the bloody heights of Inkerman (90) wounded were sent to Scutari. She demanded the stores for the sick, looked in the Custom House or lying in the ships in the harbor, and was told three days was the shortest time in which they could be unloaded and distributed, and the rules of the service could not be transgressed to save even 1,000 men. She hastened to the magazine, told the sergeant of the guard who she was, and asked him if he would take an order from her. He replied he would. She commanded him to break down the door, for the men would arrive in a few hours and no beds were ready. That incomparable woman stood all day, ordering, arranging, distributing, in the midst of unspeakable misery, her appearance everywhere a sign of good comfort, and so touched with heavenly faith that virtue seemed to go from her garments in the press of the crowd.
Night was her accepted time. When the attendants and medical officers slept and silence and darkness settled on the long lines of tents, holding the broken wrecks of the bloom and flower of English soldiery, she walked the dreary corridors alone. A little lamp in her hand scarcely illumined the gloom a few feet around her, but it was cheering as sunlight, an omen of hope to the lonely. Now and then she would stoop to a youth, moaning in half sleep of home and mother, now smoothed the pillow of some wasted skeleton from the trenches, or lightly touched the limbs straitening for the grave. When the twilight came, she knew her shadow as it fell, and, soothed by her benign presence, turned on their narrow beds and closed their eyes to pleasant dreams.
When her work was ended and peace declared, honors were showered on her. The Cross of St. George was presented by Queen Victoria, engraved "Blessed are the merciful," an exquisite bracelet came from the Sultan, but she steadily refused all moneys. A man of war was placed at her disposal on the return voyage to England, and she left the destination and travelled through France by night in order to save publicity. Some need had of rest and quiet; though pressed bodily by the long march, her spirit was unbroken. From her decked chamber and invalid chair, she spoke cheerily to the infirm of heart and purpose who sought her counsel, wrote letters to unknown correspondents, and patiently listened to all intrusive appeals which must have required travel to her command post. Her heart beat, for all humanity, and before her noble nature nothing was too petty or mean for interest. To the last she was a comfort, brave and busy, refined and delicate, forgetful of nothing but self.

A Bank Snak Caught.
London, March 10.—There was another of a series of bank robberies in the city, and the police have in custody a man who they believe to be one of the most expert bank snak thieves ever turned out by the United States. The police for a year past, ever since the Provincial Bank robbery on Feb. 16, 1891, and several other similar robberies which have followed, have been hunting for the stylish couple of Americans who have levied tribute upon the banks in the boldest manner possible.
This morning a customer was handing a box of securities across the counter of the London and Westminster Bank when a well-dressed stranger tore the box from the customer's hands and made dash for the door. There, however, he was caught by the bank porter, and a desperate struggle between the two men followed. The porter, however, managed to retain hold of the thief until the police arrived, when, after another severe fight, the thief was taken to the police station.
A similar bank robbery took place in the National Provincial Bank on Feb. 16, 1891. A clerk from the London branch of the Bank of Scotland, named McKenzie, was there accosted by a stylishly dressed stranger as the clerk was in the act of making a deposit. While the stranger engaged the clerk in conversation an accomplice, also of stylish appearance, caught up a leather satchel containing about \$20,000 belonging to the Bank of Scotland, and made off with it. In the confusion which followed both men escaped, and are said to have returned to the United States, from which country, it was asserted, they originally came. Since that time there have been two other bank snak robberies in the city, and from the description given of the two men who robbed McKenzie it is judged that all three jobs were the work of the same men.
The criminal gave the name of John Hart. He is about 35 years of age, of fair complexion, with a light beard and moustache.

Fond Mamma (anxiously).—"I saw you playing with that new boy across the street. Is he a good boy?" Young Hopeful—"Yes, a regular clump."

Western Assurance Company.

SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING.

The forty-first annual meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company was held at its offices in this city at noon yesterday. Mr. A. M. Smith, president, occupied the chair, and Mr. J. J. Kenny, managing director, was appointed to act as secretary to the meeting. The secretary read the following:

Annual Report.
The Directors beg to submit herewith their Annual Report showing the transactions of the Company for the past year, together with a statement of its assets and liabilities on 31st December last.

The premium income, it will be observed, was \$1,234,232.35, after deducting the interest paid for reinsurance, and the receipts for amount on investments, the result was \$1,000,000.00.

Although no serious conflagrations have occurred during the year, fire losses, both in Canada and United States, have been unusually numerous and severe, bringing the ratio of losses to premiums considerably above the average. In the Marine Branch the volume of business has been somewhat less than in 1890, but the year's transactions have resulted more satisfactorily.

The profit balance of \$401,207.17 is much less than that shown in the preceding Annual Balance Sheet. Your Directors feel that, in view of the fact that the Company's business for the year 1891 to Companies generally, there is cause for congratulation in the fact that the balance at the credit of Profit and Loss Account, which represents the reserve fund, on the paid up capital, without drawing upon the reserve fund, has been \$1,000,000.00.

The amount estimated as necessary for the year's operations, or for the year's operations, is \$1,000,000.00, or the sum of all existing risks, is \$1,000,000.00.

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Statement of Business for the Year Ending
December 31st, 1891.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.	
Fire premiums	\$1,111,937.97
Marine premiums	67,295.31
Loss reinsurance	2,022,602.23
Interest Account	\$1,734,232.35
Interest Account	43,732.78
	\$1,737,965.03
PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.	
Dividend No. 60	\$150,000.00
Dividend No. 61	25,000.00
Dividend No. 62	25,000.00
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Dividend No. 67	25,000.00
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Dividend No. 90	25,000.00
Dividend No. 91	25,000.00
Dividend No. 92	25,000.00
Dividend No. 93	25,000.00
Dividend No. 94	25,000.00
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FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Good Friday.

Settlers are still arriving.

Mr. J. Franks returned yesterday from his flying trip to Brandon.

Mrs. John Grayson returned on Wednesday morning from Ontario.

The Queen's Hotel, Winnipeg, has been sold to Mr. Wm. McKenzie, of Toronto.

It is said that Mr. G. M. Annable will shortly erect a brick block on the corner of Main and River Sts.

The busy hum of preparing for spring seeding is heard throughout the length and breadth of the land.

The streets are commencing to assume a summer-like appearance. All evidence of winter has disappeared.

Through lack of space we are compelled to hold over the names of the prize winners at the show on Saturday.

Messrs. Crossley and Hunter continue to hold their meetings in the Methodist church, Brandon, and the interest manifested is very marked.

Mr. D. L. Scott of Regina, while in town at the assizes, visited the electric light station, and expressed his pleasure at seeing so excellent a plant in Moose Jaw.

Life of Charles H. Spurgeon. "The Greatest of Living Preachers," by Russell Conwell, L. L. B., D. D., L. L. D. The Napoleon of Holy Warfare is Dead. Send in your orders early. 500 Pages. Price \$1.50. Seymour Green, Agent

License Granted.

Mr. Jas. Ostrander of the Brunswick hotel has been granted a hotel license.

Super-Granddaddy.

Mrs. Chen, a woman in Hull, Quebec, though only forty-five years of age, has just given birth to her twenty third child.

New Sidewalk.

A new sidewalk is being laid from River St. to Manitoba St. on the west side of Main St. It will remove a serious inconvenience that has existed since the December fire.

Franking Abolished.

It is intended to follow up the recent abolishing of the franking privileges, hitherto enjoyed by members of the civil service, by abolishing the unlimited franking privileges of the members of the House, who will be paid each session a fixed sum for defraying their postage expenses.

New Partnership.

We are glad to announce that Mr. W. J. Nelson, who appeared for the defence in the two cases tried at the sitting of court this week, has decided to remain in Moose Jaw. He has entered into partnership with Mr. J. G. Gordon, Barrister. Mr. Nelson was for many years the partner of Mr. J. A. McDonald of Toronto. The firm of McDonald and Nelson were the agents of the Minister of Justice, and Attorney General of Canada. In regard to the subject matter in question in the two suits to which we have referred, he certainly advocated, with unusual zeal, the interests of his clients.

In another column will be found the business card of the new firm of Gordon and Nelson.

The work of excavating the cellar of Mr. Bole's new block is progressing.

The debris from the late fire is being removed from the lots on which it was placed.

The attention of our readers is called to an editorial explanation of the recent bigamy arrest at Moose Jaw.

Flowers are in full bloom in the C. P. R. garden. We might as well keep up our reputation for lying!

Judge Richardson may hold a special sitting of the Supreme Court at Moose Jaw in about a month's time.

Mr. R. E. Doran has opened an extensive stock of harness. A call at his store will not have a tendency to disappoint any in need of the above.

We are sorry to chronicle the death of the infant son of Mr. James Cline. The funeral was held from the Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

As warm weather approaches, and back yards need attention, one familiar face in the busy, bustling, talkative, genial, delightful Professor Sinclair Black.

Abnormal Growth.

A Maple shoot measuring 7 ft. 6 in. in length, being one year's growth, is on exhibition at the Govt. Immigration office.

Preparations for Summer.

The storm-ash have been removed from the C. P. R. buildings, and the porch in front of the dining hall has been consigned to the shades of the store house. Vals, all relics of inclement winter!

Improved Butchery.

Last week a settlement adjacent to the Moose Jaw district, a woman and her grown up daughter undertook to kill a calf. They placed the animal in a saw horse, and, while the woman held it, the daughter cut off the young bovine's head with a buck saw.

Returned to Moose Jaw.

Mr. Austin McDonald who has been under medical treatment in the St. Boniface Hospital for some months, returned to Moose Jaw on Monday, to give evidence in the case of Campbell against Annable. Mr. McDonald looks much better after his sojourn in Manitoba.

Important Decision.

Judge Taschereau in the superior court on April 11th, refused the petition made by Mrs. McCarthy that her children now in the Grey Nunnery should be handed over to her. The court held that the children were well treated and, as the mother was allowed to see them once a week, there was no ground for complaint.

Quick Passage.

A remarkably quick passage has just been made from Liverpool to Winnipeg. A lady left Liverpool last Wednesday week at 9 p. m., and although she spent a whole day in Montreal, she arrived in Winnipeg Sunday at 10.10 a. m. This means that she could have accomplished the distance in 9 days and 11 hours.

Ball at the Hall.

A ball, under the auspices of the Medicine Hat Lodge Independent Order of Odd-Fellows, will be given in the immigration hall on Friday April 22nd. No pains are being spared to make this event a decided success. The committee in charge have arranged with the Lethbridge String Band—a band of noted ability, to supply music for the occasion. A number of Moose Jaw citizens have signified their intention to be present.

The Helmsman—Grey Imperial Stock Co.

This Company played to a good house in Russell Hall on Friday night. The play was "Hazel Kirke" an interesting English play. The parts, as usual, were well sustained. Miss Dalglish, as Hazel, and Mr. G. M. Gray, as Pitticus Greene, were the characters worthy of note. On Saturday night the Company played East Lynne. Both plays were well received. Should this company again visit Moose Jaw they will doubtless have good houses.

The C. P. R.'s New Route.

The Canadian Pacific Navigation Company (Limited) has opened up an attractive route for summer tourists. Their Clyde-built steamer, the "Islander," is to make five trips from Victoria and Vancouver, B. C., during the coming season, among the inlets, fjords, etc., of British Columbia to Sitka and the great Muir Glacier. Among other places the steamer will call at Fort Simpson, Metlakatla, Gardner's Inlet, China Hat, Fort Rupert and Alert Bay; points not visited by the other steamers that have hitherto made the trip to Alaska. In this trip some of the most magnificent of the coast scenery of British Columbia will be seen from the deck. The passage being in smooth water throughout, a great part, indeed through narrow fjords where a biscuit could be thrown ashore on either side the vessel, the only drawback to such a trip is removed. Passengers so desiring are to be landed at Sitka, and, of course, at any of the points named in British Columbia.

Photograph on Exhibition.

An Edison Phonograph was on exhibition at the C.P.R. Dining Hall last evening. Quiet a large crowd of delighted listeners gathered around the marvellous little instrument and heard with pleasure the improvised concert.

Red River Bridges.

The Canadian Pacific officials are very nervous regarding the fate of Louise bridge, Winnipeg, over which their train comes in entering the city. The opinion of experts is that if the ice, when the break-up occurs, clears the bridge, there will be no danger, but if the water reaches the level of the "stringers" nothing can save it. The principle fear, however, is in regard to the Broadway bridge, which is not as strongly constructed as the Louise. The water is reaching a point dangerously high. There is a great deal of water yet to come down from Grand Forks and that vicinity, and high levels are expected.

Immigration to Moose Jaw.

As intimated in our last issue we give below the gist of a letter written by Mr. R. L. Alexander to Mr. Thomas Clubb who is now residing western Ontario. This letter appeared in the *Embo Chronicle* and was written in reply to a communication from Mr. Clubb who wrote stating that a Calgary immigration agent had made some rather startling statements with regard to the Moose Jaw District, and asking that a true statement of the prospects and capabilities of the District be sent down, if necessary for publication, to refute these statements.

It is scarcely necessary for us to quote exhaustively, to Moose Jawites, from Mr. Alexander's letter in reply. Sufficient it is to say that the setting forth of the Moose Jaw District as a field for immigration, a productive grain district, an unrivalled ground for ranches, did not in anyway suffer at the hands of our energetic immigration agent.

COMMUNICATIONS.

THE TIMES does not hold itself responsible for the opinions expressed by correspondents. No communication will be inserted unless the name of the writer accompanies it, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

PASQUA ITEMS.

To the Editor of the TIMES.

The farmers of Pasqua District thank the Mayor and Councillors of Moose Jaw for the fine bridge which they have built over the Moose Jaw Creek, at the brick yard, for the farmers east of the town.

The farmers of Pasqua are all rejoicing now in the hope of getting their grain thrashed, as Love and Done start thrashing on the 17th, and as there are no snow here to bother them, we hope they will have a successful run.

Seeding will start here in a few days as the ground is dry and the frost nearly all out. Winter here is a thing of the past.

Three new families have arrived at Pasqua. Mr. Semmens and family arrived Tuesday, bringing with him a car of settlers' effects. There are several families yet on their road for Pasqua.

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY MEETING.

At the meeting of the Directors of the Moose Jaw Agricultural Society held in the Secretary's office on the 9th inst., the report of the committee to revise the Prize List was received and after a few alterations was adopted, and the Secretary was ordered to get them printed as soon as possible.

The Directors have decided to give large prizes for the best Wheat, Oats, Peas and Barley as follows:—

Best 2 1/2 bush. Red Fife, 1st prize \$20.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd \$5.00; best 2 1/2 bush. any other variety, 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$5.00; best 2 1/2 white oats 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00; best 2 1/2 black oats, 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00; best 2 1/2 bush 2 rowed barley, 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00; best 2 1/2 6 rowed barley 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00; best 2 1/2 bush peas, 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00; best 1 bush, flex seed, 1st \$3.00, 2nd \$2.00; best 2 sheaves red fife wheat 10 inches in diameter with roots attached, 1st \$2.00, 2nd \$1.00; also the same for oats, barley and flax.

A special to be given to the exhibitor who takes the most 1st prizes. All the grain except in the sheaf to be the growth of 1891. Sheaves that of 1892. For further particulars anyone applying to the Secretary, R. L. Alexander will be fully informed.

VICTORIA BRIDGE.

It has been stated that the Grand Trunk authorities have in contemplation the extension of Victoria bridge, comprising carriage-way and foot path.

Mercier to be Arrested.

It is asserted that Mercier and his colleagues will shortly be arrested, and that a warrant is or will be soon signed for the ex-premier's apprehension.

LOST.

At the late fire a new grain scale. Finder will please leave at Annable's stable.

FOR SALE.

An imported shire stallion, registered pedigree. Animal may be seen at Walsh's stable. Price on application. May be exchanged for stock. 45b JOHN MURPHY.

One yoke of Oxen, four years of age, in good condition, price reasonable. Apply to DOVALD Nelson, P. O. Box 9, Sec. 10-17-M.

House for Sale.—Frame, six rooms, two fifty feet lots, wire fence, at a bargain. Apply to E. A. IVOR.

House and lot for sale in Moose Jaw. For particulars apply to Wm. Grayson, Moose Jaw or W. W. Chaffin, Peace.

320 acres, 45 ready for cropping, 25 more on breaking, 70 acres in all, good well, spring and house. Combined farm and Ranch. Best place in the district for cattle. Apply to W. H. GRAYSON.

The following farms to rent in Pioneer, part of 32, 17, 27, also part of 32, 17, 27, W. 2nd M. The property of J. W. McIntosh, will be rented for one year, seed and implements furnished by proprietor. Apply to the Proprietor J. W. MCINTOSH, Fern Hill, P. O. Ont.

NOTICES.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Moose Jaw Milling Company will be held in Russell Hall, on Tuesday, April 18, at 1 o'clock, for the election of officers, and the transaction of such other business as may seem proper to the shareholders.

A meeting of the Directors of the Farmers' Institute will be held in Russell Hall, at 3 o'clock, April 18th, for the appointment of a secretary.

A meeting of the Institute will then be held for the transaction of important business.

I hereby give notice that any person or persons found driving through or across my cultivated grounds, on west-half section 12-17-26, will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES MCLELLAND.

Dated at Moose Jaw, April 14, 1892.

NOTICE

is hereby given of the intention of the applicants hereinafter named to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor of the North West Territories, under "The Companies' Ordinance" for the issue of Letters Patent to incorporate a Joint Stock Company, of which the proposed corporate name is "The Marlborough and Carmel Co-operative Company."

The object for which incorporation is sought is the carrying on of the business of threshing and marketing grain, and of co-operative trading; and the acquiring, holding and disposing of such property, real and personal, as necessary in connection therewith, and all other powers that may be requisite and necessary for carrying out the above objects, or in connection with the business of the Company.

The chief place of business of the company shall be at Marlborough, in the district of Assiniboia.

The proposed amount of capital stock is five thousand dollars, divided into fifty shares, of one hundred dollars each.

The names in full and addresses and callings of the said applicants are as follows:—

John George Bersley, of 18-27-w. 2, Marlborough P.O., yeoman; Donald McBean of 18-27-w. 2, Marlborough P.O., yeoman; Thomas J. Saloner, of 18-27-w. 2, Marlborough P.O., yeoman; Henry Durrell, of 18-26-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; James Wesley Smith, of 17-26-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; Charles Smith, of 18-26-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; Albert Edward Day, of 18-26-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; William Watson, of 18-27-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; Angus Watson, of 18-27-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; George McChonchie Ross, of 17-27-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman; John Henry Winn of 18-27-w. 2, Marlborough P.O., yeoman and John Snail, of 18-26-w. 2, Moose Jaw P.O., yeoman.

All of whom are residents of Canada, and of whom the five first above named are to be the first or Provisional Directors of the Company.

Dated at Moose Jaw the sixth day of April, 1892.

GORDON & NELSON,

Solicitors for applicants.

Choice Farm Land For Sale!

ADJOINING THE FLOURISHING TOWN OF MOOSE JAW.

The Ontario and Northwest Land Company, offers for sale several sections of the best wheat growing lands, immediately north of the town of Moose-Jaw, N. W. T. The sections of country are situated as having been free from irrigation, the entire wheat crop being supplied from the west, the reason for this locality being three weeks earlier than at points east. For terms etc., apply to J. H. LANG, President, Whitby, Ont.

CHOPPING.

Having purchased a First Class Three Roll Crusher, I will crush grain every Thursday, Friday and Saturday, on sec. 34, Tp. 17, R. 26, six and one-half miles north of town, on Main trail, every Tuesday, and on the succeeding day if necessary. Price in cents per hundred, to be crushed must be well cleaned and free from stalks, etc. Price 10 cents per hundred. Strictly Cash.

JAS. W. SMITH.

The undersigned begs to announce that he has purchased a first class 3 roller grain chopper, and that he will chop at his farm, 16 1/2 miles north of town, on Main trail, every Tuesday, and on the succeeding day if necessary. Price in cents per hundred, to be chopped must be well cleaned and free from stalks, etc. Price 10 cents per hundred. Strictly Cash.

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